

## STUDENT AWARD WINNERS AT THE 2007 ANNUAL MEETING

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At the 2007 Annual Meeting, the following student papers and posters won awards.

### Best Posters:

#### Best Poster, Ecology and Evolution

A. Corcoran and R. Shipe (Dept. of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology and  
Dept. of Health Sciences, UCLA)

**ANTHROPOGENIC CONTROLS OF HARMFUL PHYTOPLANKTON  
TAXA IN SANTA MONICA BAY**

#### Honorable Mention:

L. S. Lewis and T. W. Anderson (Fish Ecology Lab, San Diego State University)  
**PREDATION IN EELGRASS BEDS: DO TROPHIC MANIPULATIONS  
RESULT IN CASCADING EFFECTS?**

#### Best Poster, Molecular Biology and Physiology:

A. J. Vasa and Christine Broussard (Dept. of Biology, University of La Verne)  
**EFFECTS OF METHOXYCHLOR EXPOSURE ON THE DEVELOP-  
MENT OF CD4 T-CELLS IN C57BL/6 MICE””**

#### Honorable Mention;

A. Carrillo and K. A. Dickson (Dept. of Biological Science, CSU-Fullerton)  
**BURST SWIMMING PERFORMANCE AND METABOLIC ENZYME  
ACTIVITIES IN LARVAL AND JUVENILE WHITE SEABASS (*ATRACTOSCION NOBILIS*)**

#### Best Poster, Physical Science (Tie)

C. Wolfe and B. Browne (Dept. of Geological Sciences, CSU-Fullerton)  
**CONSTRAINING THE RATE AND STYLE OF MAGMA ASCENT AT  
MAMMOTH MOUNTAIN, EASTERN CALIFORNIA**

M. W. Lusk and D. R. Jessey (Geological Sciences Department, California State  
Polytechnic University, Pomona)

**CENOZOIC VOLCANISM ON THE DARWIN PLATEAU**

### Best Papers,

#### Ecology and Evolution: (TIE)

C. L. Chabot, Dept. of Biology, California State University, Northridge  
**GLOBAL POPULATION STRUCTURE OF THE TOPE (*GALEORHINUS GALEUS*), AS INFERRED BY MITOCHONDRIAL CONTROL  
REGION SEQUENCE DATA**

E. M. Seale and D. C. Zacherl Southern California Ecosystems Research Program, California State University, Fullerton

**TO SETTLE OR NOT TO SETTLE: SEASONAL SETTLEMENT OF OYSTER LARVAE, *OSTREA CONCHAPHILA*, IN TWO SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ESTUARIES**

**Molecular Biology and Physiology:**

Heather Johnston, E. Guirges, and E. N. Kageno, Dept. of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, UCLA

**THE EFFECTS OF THE ECTOPARASITIC ISOPOD *ELTHUSA CALIFORNICA* ON THE RESPIRATION OF THE SURF PERCH *CYMATOGASTER AGGREGATA***

**Physical Sciences:**

Michael Blazevic, M. Kirby, A. Woods, B. Browne, and D. Bowman, Dept. of Geological Sciences, California State University, Fullerton

**HIGH-RESOLUTION THIN-SECTION PHOTOMICROGRAPHY ANALYSIS OF A GLACIAL-AGE SEDIMENT CORE FROM BALDWIN LAKE, SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA: A LOOK AT SOME INITIAL RESULTS**